



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER, P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO. 10/553,373	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT Paul Tardi	ATTY. DOCKET NO. 532552000102
---	-------------------------------------	----------------------------------

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/US04/11812

I.A. FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE
------------------	---------------

04/16/2004

04/16/2003

CONFIRMATION NO. 3684

371 FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000021193925

25225 *KHM*
 MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP
 12531 HIGH BLUFF DRIVE
 SUITE 100
 SAN DIEGO, CA 92130-2040

Date Mailed: 11/13/2006

NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/17/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/17/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/17/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 10/17/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/17/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/23/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 10/17/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/17/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/17/2005
- Specification filed on 10/17/2005
- Claims filed on 10/17/2005
- Abstracts filed on 10/17/2005
- Drawings filed on 10/17/2005

DOCKETED: *MISS. REQUIREMENTS*DUE DATE: *1-13-2006*FINAL DUE DATE: *1-13-2006*

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27,

must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$190** for a Small Entity:

- **\$65** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

Registered users of EFS-Web may alternatively submit their reply to this notice via EFS-Web.
<https://portal.uspto.gov/authenticate/AuthenticateUserLocalEPF.html>

For more information about EFS-Web please call the USPTO Electronic Business Center at 1-866-217-9197 or visit our website at <http://www.uspto.gov/ebc>.

If you are not using EFS-Web to submit your reply, you must include a copy of this notice.

CHRISTINE S WASHINGTON

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 228

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO
10/553,373	PCT/US04/11812	532552000102